The Board of Energy Regulatory Office,

Based on:

- Provisions of Article 15 and Article 26 of Law on Energy Regulator (Law No. 05/L-084):
- Provisions of Article 36, paragraph 2 of Law on Electricity (Law No. 05/L-085);
- Request of Transmission System Operator and Market Operator (KOSTT JSC.), dated on 08.09.2016, on review and approval of the document: Market Rules Procedure on Supplier Switching – now “Rule on Supplier Switching”,

in its session held on 14.10.2016, issued the following:

**DECISION**

I. The document **Rule on Supplier Switching** is hereby APPROVED.

Reasoning

- On 08 September 2016, Energy Regulatory Office (ERO) received from KOSTT JSC. a request on approval of the document Market Rules Procedure on Supplier Switching- now **Rule on Supplier Switching**. The document is compiled by KOSTT, based on market rules approved by ERO.

- Initially, KOSTT submitted the document for a review on 24 July 2015 as a procedure of Market Rules. ERO provided its written comments, which included or explained the concerning issues. After that, the document was delivered to interested parties, Energy Community Secretariat and Consultancy in order to provide their comments. Following the inclusion of all reasonable comments from the parties, on 03.06.2016, the document was resubmitted as a new version to ERO for approval.

- Following the approval of new energy laws, and based on Article 36 paragraph 2 of Law on Electricity, stating that “The Regulator approves Rules on Supplier Switching”, ERO adjusted the document as: **Rule on Supplier Switching**. Following the evaluation and adjustment of the document, ERO considers that the document meets the criteria for approval, and taking into consideration the legal provisions mentioned in the introductory section of this Decision, decided as in the enacting clause of this Decision, approving the document **Rule on Supplier Switching**.
Switching.

II. The Decision shall be issued in Albanian language and translated into Serbian and English language. In case of any discrepancy between the versions, the Albanian version shall prevail.

III. The Decision shall enter into force on the date of approval by ERO Board and shall be published on ERO’s official website, where the document shall be published as well.

Legal advice: The party dissatisfied with this Decision may initiate an administrative dispute at the Competent Court, within thirty (30) days from the date of receipt of this Decision or the date of its publication on ERO’s website, whichever occurs last.

The document Rule on Supplier Switching is attached to this Decision.

This Decision is sent to:

- The licensee KOSTT JSC.
- Archive of Energy Regulatory Office

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